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THE BOWERY BISHOP ✓

Photoplay in ✓ six reels ✓

Story by Alexander Irvine ✓

Directed by Colin Campbell ✓

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(The Bowery Bishop

Synopsis)

Norman Strong, known as the Bowery Bishop, conducts a mission in the New York slums. Despite his most earnest preaching, his followers are few - Sybil Stuyvesant, a wealthy society girl, Philip Easter, a lawyer, Tim Brady, a night watchman, and Venitia Rigola, with whom Tim is in love, and her blind father, Tony.

One night Venitia, disappears and all search for her is unavailing. Months later she returns with her baby in her arms. Tony orders her from his home. She goes to Strong for advice. Tim sees, and follows her and accuses Strong of being the father of her child. Venitia protests but Tim pays no attention to her. He rushes out and gathers the gang, who following in his lead, wreck the mission and wound Strong, who does not deny the accusation, which even Sybil is inclined to believe.

The Board of Missions expels Strong, who is defended by Dr. Kindly, a sympathetic, broad-minded clergyman. He takes the disheartened Bowery Bishop into his own home, but Strong declares he must return to his people in the slums.

Venitia rents a tiny room and supports herself and the baby by taking in washing. One evening as she is sitting on a rickety chair outside the house, a young girl asks the way to a place, which Venitia knows to be disreputable. She warns the girl, who replies that she is going there to learn to be an actress and that she is able to take care of herself. Unable to dissuade her, Venitia lets her go but rushes to the telephone and calls up the police, who promptly raid the dive and arrest every one in it. The girl is saved by Venitia, who tells the policeman that it was to rescue her that she - Venitia - had given them the information. She then advises the girl to run home to her mother as quickly as possible.

Philip Foster is among those caught by the police at the dive. When he is tried and found guilty, Strong begs the judge to parole him in his care. The judge replies that he does not consider Strong a fit guardian for any one, so Dr. Kindly asks that he be appointed instead and the judge consents.

Foster is so overcome by Strong's unselfishness that he con-

fesses that he is the father of Venitia's child and begs her to forgive and marry him, which she gladly consents to do. Sybil begs Strong to pardon her for doubting him and they all plan to work together in the mission to help those who are less fortunate than themselves.

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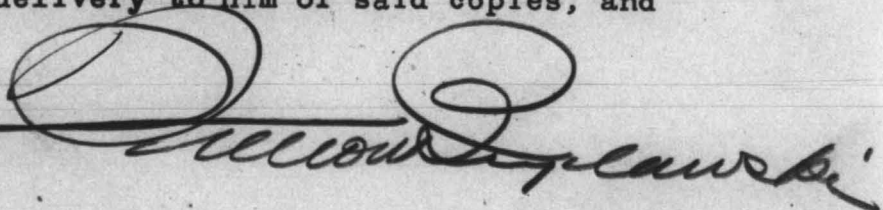
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